Media Submission Tips: Graduation Photo

POSITION
Position the camera at eye level or above, you never shoot yourself from below. Consider asking a friend/family member to take the photo (if safe to do so). Frame yourself in the photo properly:

Too far

Just right

Too close

LIGHTING
Use natural light if possible.
Avoid harsh shadows, use a second light source to even the lighting.
Avoid distracting backgrounds.
Media Submission Tips: Video

DON’T: Leave too much empty space above your head.

DO: Position your face in the upper half of the frame.

DON’T: Use low camera angles.

DO: Safely align your eyeline to the camera.

DON’T: Sit in front of a bright light source.


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